## Social and Personal.

JUST at this season the reign of the college girl is supreme, and rightly is any for she is being duly feted and entertained by her fitends, who foin with her in the enthusiasm of commencement week and the pleasure incident to these last days before any commencement week and the pleasure incident to these last days before any on the commencement week and the pleasure incident to these last days before any on the commencement week and the pleasure for incident to the selection of the sense in the commencement week and the pleasure for shower favely attempts of the Woman's College in their home, 1500 West Avenie, the whole class being present to enjoy their hospitality.

A number of Mrs. Woodwards friends were invited to meet the gifts of the college were was thrown into one, and decorated profusely in Killarney roses and svergreens, the guests being received in the front drawing-room by Dr. and Mrs. Woodward, Mrs. J. C. Metcalf, Mrs. Carlion Jackson, Mrs. Bingham, Mrs. Leavy Mrs. Patton, Miss Kats Winston, Miss Annie-Winaton, Mrs. Stings Mrs. Carey Wirston and Mrs. Edward Mrs. Carey and Gaine, Dr. and Mrs. James Nelson and Miss Forbes, of the college, were special guests of the afternoon, and and see Forbes, of the college, were special guests of the afternoon, and miss Forbes, of the college, were special guests of the afternoon, and miss Forbes, of the college, were special guests of the afternoon, and miss Forbes, of the college, were special guests of the afternoon, and miss Forbes, of the college, were special guests of the afternoon, and miss Evillate the plant of the plan

A number of visiting girls and Miss Leftwich's Richmond friends were among the guests who enjoyed her cordial hospitality.

morning.

Mack—Balthis.

A wedding of interest to society people it Virginia, as well as in army and navy circles, was that of Miss Madge French Balthis, daughter of Paymaster and Mrs. Harry H. Balthis, U. S. N., and Lieutenant Jacob Arthur Mack, of the Coast Artillery Corps, United States Army, which took place yesterday afternoon in the First Presbyterian Church of Portsmouth. Rev. Mr. Glimour, pastor of the church, performed the ceremony, the wedding being a full military affair.

Miss Edith Balthis, sister of the bride, acted as maid of honor, and Miss Florence Tait and Miss Dorothy Kinkaid were bridesmaids. Lieutenant Wister, of the army, was the best man, and the ushers were Lieutehant Boothe, U. S. A., and Lieutenant Hunter Porter, U. S. A.

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For the Bride-Elect.

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Miss Annie Henry, of Norfolk, who
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during the last season, is now spending some time in St. Davis, near Philiadelphia. Later she will go to Albany
to be the guest of friends before returning to Norfolk.

Richard Smith, Basil Jones and

Keith Jones will spend the month of June at Bon Air.

Mrs. Thomas Garvey has returned to Richmond, after a visit to relatives in Newport News.

Maicolm K. Harris has returned to he University of Virginia after visit-ng his parente, Mr. and Mrs. W. T. iarris, in Danville.

Mrs. C. H. Blain, of Clifton Forge, who has been in Richmond for some time, is now visiting her father, Nev. J. H. Taylor, in Staunton,

Mrs. George Bagby expects to leave shortly for King and Queen county where she will visit Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Bagby, of Stevensville.

Mrs. A. L. Riffie, of Alderson, W. Va., who has been at the Retreat for the Sick for several weeks, is improving.

Mrs. Landon O. Hammerly arrived Ars. Landon U. Hammerly arrived Tuesday, night from her home in Loudoun county, to he in Richmond Auring the commencement exercises of the Woman's College, her daugnter, Miss Melen Harnmerly, being president of the graduating class.

Miss Laura Stokes Dake, of Hanover county, stopped over in Elclimond Wednesday with the Misses Gentry at their home, 110 North Eighth Street, on her way to Washington. Returning, she will be their guest for some time before going to her home at Hewlett, Va.

merly made her home in Richmond, and her many friends here are enjoying seeing her again.

Miss Bell, of Cobham, Albemarle county, is having a very pleasant visit

Miss Lucy Ryland, who has been spending the winter in Richmond, left for King and Queen county last Monday to spend the summer with relatives.

Mrs. L. M. Fev. of Southport, Eng-land, is the guest of Mc, and Mrs. Wil-liam F. Tuke, of this city.

Two Bullet Holes Tell Story of How Tarbock Met Death.

Leftwich's Richmond friends were among the guests who enjoyed her cordial hospitality.

Those in charge of the arrangements for Memorial Day wish that all flowers be sent to Superintendent Hoopers office at Hollywood gate, and marked for the Junior Hollywood Memorial Association. They are especially desirous of receiving wreaths or hoops of wild flowers to be used in the decoration on Saturday, and hope that the children will respond to this request. The flowers may be sent late Friday afternoon or early on Saturday morning.

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account. Little, except that the couple came from New York, was ever learned about them. They mingled but little with the people of the neighborhood, and it was known that their domestic affairs did not always run smoothly. Tarbock, who was about sixty-five years of age, was apparently much older than the woman.

Shewed e Letter.

On the night of May 17 Tarbock mysteriously disappeared. On the following day the woman showed a letter, which she said had been written by her husband. The letter stated that he had left his home and would not return. Within the next few days, it is alleged, the woman drew \$4,000 from the bank, which had been deposited by Tarbock, and on the evening of May 21 she, too, disappeared. The woman left a letter, addressed to one of the neighbors, in which she stated that she had gone to the home of her sister in New York, but would return in a few days, and would settle up the estate of her husband.

The suspicions of the neighbors were aroused by the disappearance of both. Tarbock and the woman, and yesterday an investigation of the premises was made, resulting in the finding of the man's body. Evidently the man had been killed either in or near the house and his body dragged to a clump of bushes and undergrowth, where an ineffectual effort had been returned the body was turned over to an undertaker, by whom it is being held pending the result of efforts to communicate with relatives of the dead man. At the inquest the fact was brought out that the woman had secured the \$4,000 from the bank before she left her home.

The discovery of the murder has caused a profound sensation here.

COUNCIL ADJOURNS,

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Bishop Authorized to Appoint Sunday School Commission.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]

NEWPORT NEWS, VA. May 27.—
Concluding the business of its fourteenth annual session, the Episcopal
Diocesean Council of Scuthern Virginta
adjourned this afternoon to meet next
year at St. Paul's Church, Lynchburg.
The only important matter discussed
to-day was a resolution authorizing.
Bishop Randolph to appoint a Sunday
school commission for the purpose of
securing unity of method among the
Sunday schools of the diocese. The
council sent a congratulatory message
to Dr. Arthur S. Lloyd, of New York,
who, yesterday, was chosen bishop
conductor of the Wirginia diocese.

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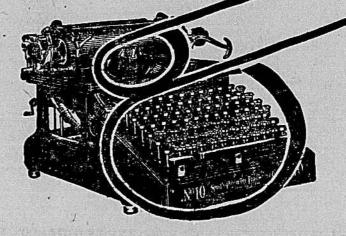
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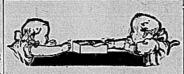
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WORKING FOR MANNING.

Durham Delegation Has Conference with Governor Kitchin.
[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]
RALDIGH, N. C., May 27.—A committee from the Durham bar is here urging upon Governor Kitchin the appointment of Hon. J. S. Manning to the Supreme Court bench to succeed Judge Connor, who will retire next week to become United States judge of the Eastern District of North Care ago clina. Victor S. Bryant heads the delegation, and with him came B. S. Skinger, S. C. Brawley, F. L. Fuller and thereafter gave out a lengthy state ment as to the fitness of Mr. Manning for the appointment. This is regarded as really paving the way for an appointment already decided upon by the Governor. The document sets out take Mr. Manning is fifty years old, having devoted twenty-six years to the practice of law, and has served in the House and Senate of the State Legislature with distinction.

It is pointed out that while the friends of other aspirants are urging service on the Superior Court bench as reason for appointment to the Supreme Court, this has not heretofore been recognized as a prerequisite, the names of a number of lawyers who were appointed direct from the bar being given. These include Justice Walker, of the present court; Justices Milard, Ruffin, Merrimon, Ashe, Smith, Davis, Burwell and others.

Strack by Lightning.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]

Struck by Lightning.
[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]
LEXINGTON, N. C., May 27.—During
a violent electrical storm this afternoon, Henry Beck was struck and fendered unconscious. His injuries will
probably prove fatal. He was standing on front porch and his residence
was considerably damaged.

Le Sueur Atkinson,
[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]
NEW CANTON, VA, May 27.—Yesterday afternoon at 1:30 o'clock a very pretty marriage was celebrated near Gold Hill, at the home of Mrs. Elizabeth Atkinson, the bride being Mrs. Atkinson's daughter, Miss Lucy Muy, Atkinson's daughter, Miss Lucy Muy, Atkinson, and the groom Riobert F. Le Sueur, also of this county. A large company of friends assembled to witness the ceremony, which was performed by Rev. R. W. Bagwell. Mrs. M. E. Jones, of Penlan, played the wedding march.

Carneal—Pitts.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch, 1]

FREDERICKSBURG, VA. May 27.—

Jno. R. Carneal and Miss Martha Pitts
were married here last night at the
home of the bride, Rev. T. S. Dunaway, D. D., efficiating.

Excursion Declared One of Best in History of the Society.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.] CHARLOTTESVILLE, VA., May 37.— The excursion of Colonial Dames to Charlottesville and Monticello to-day proved one of the most delightful in number of the Dames had never be-Those who had visited the unimodern improvements. The strangers remarked on the unique style of archi-



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In his address of welcome, Dr. Page took occasion to thank the Dames for the prize offered annually to the students of the University of Virginia for the best essay on a colonial topic. He said that he wished it were possible for them to meet the young men who had carried off the trophies in recent years. All, he said, are meeting with success in life.

In addition to the Dames from Virginia, there were representatives present from Maine, North Carolina, Pennsylvania, South Carolina, Maryland, Georgia, the District of Columbia and other sections of the country.

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> gaining right along." Cardui should surely do for you what it has done for others.

now I feel like a new girl, and am

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